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| Substitute for Form PTO-875   |   |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
| CLAIMS AS FILED – PART I  |   |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
| (Column 1)  |   |                | (Column 2)   |                                    |               |   |  |
| FOR   |   | NUMBER FILED   | NUMBER EXTRA |                                    |               |   |  |
| BASIC FEE<br>(37 CFR 1.16(a))   |   |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
| TOTAL CLAIMS<br>(37 CFR 1.16(c))  |   | 144 minus 20 = | 24           |                                    |               |   |  |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS<br>(37 CFR 1.16(b))  |   | 5 minus 3 =    | 2            |                                    |               |   |  |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))   |   |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED – PART II   |   |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
| (Column 1)  |   |                | (Column 2)   |                                    | (Column 3)    |   |  |
| AMENDMENT A   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT                                |                |              | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |   |  |
|   | Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))  |                | 30           | Minus ** 44                        | =             |   |  |
|   | Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))                                    |                | 3            | Minus *** 5                        | =             |   |  |
|   | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
| AMENDMENT B   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT                                |                |              | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |   |  |
|   | Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))  |                |              | Minus **                           | =             |   |  |
|   | Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))                                    |                |              | Minus ***                          | =             |   |  |
|   | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
| AMENDMENT C   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT                                |                |              | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |   |  |
|   | Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))  |                |              | Minus **                           | =             |   |  |
|   | Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))                                    |                |              | Minus ***                          | =             |   |  |
|   | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |                |              |                                    |               |   |  |
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## CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

|                                  |               |                          |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS                     | 44            |                          |
| FOR                              | NUMBER FILED  | NUMBER EXTRA             |
| TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS          | 44 minus 20 = | 24                       |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS               | 5 minus 3 =   | 2                        |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT |               | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT A                                    | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA         |
|--|---|-------|---|--------------------------|
|  | Total                                     | 44    | Minus                                       | 44                       |
| Independent                                    | 5   | Minus | 5   | =                        |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |   |       |   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

SMALL ENTITY  
TYPE  OTHER THAN  
OR SMALL ENTITY

|           |        |              |        |
|-----------|--------|--------------|--------|
| RATE      | FEES   | RATE         | FEES   |
| BASIC FEE | 370.00 | OR BASIC FEE | 740.00 |
| X\$ 9=    |        | OR X\$18=    | 432    |
| X42=      |        | OR X84=      | 168    |
| +140=     |        | OR +280=     |        |
| TOTAL     |        | OR TOTAL     | 1340   |

OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY OR SMALL ENTITY

|                  |                        |                     |                        |
|------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| RATE             | ADDI-<br>TIONAL<br>FEE | RATE                | ADDI-<br>TIONAL<br>FEE |
| X\$ 9=           |                        | OR X\$18=           |                        |
| X42=             |                        | OR X84=             |                        |
| +140=            |                        | OR +280=            |                        |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                        | OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                        |

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| AMENDMENT B                                    | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA         |
|--|---|-------|---|--------------------------|
|  | Total                                     | 27    | Minus                                       | 44                       |
| Independent                                    | 3   | Minus | 5   | =                        |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |   |       |   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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|------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| RATE             | ADDI-<br>TIONAL<br>FEE | RATE                | ADDI-<br>TIONAL<br>FEE |
| X\$ 9=           |                        | OR X\$18=           |                        |
| X42=             |                        | OR X84=             |                        |
| +140=            |                        | OR +280=            |                        |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                        | OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                        |

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| AMENDMENT C                                    | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA         |
|--|---|-------|---|--------------------------|
|  | Total                                     | 33    | Minus                                       | 44                       |
| Independent                                    | 3   | Minus | 3   | =                        |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |   |       |   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

|                  |                        |                     |                        |
|------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| RATE             | ADDI-<br>TIONAL<br>FEE | RATE                | ADDI-<br>TIONAL<br>FEE |
| X\$ 9=           |                        | OR X\$18=           |                        |
| X42=             |                        | OR X84=             |                        |
| +140=            |                        | OR +280=            |                        |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                        | OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                        |

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